# CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1   1.     A method for delivering guaranteed bandwidth network service, comprising:

2   a)    receiving a request from a user at a computer terminal;

3   b)    determining a destination of the request;

4   c)    sending the request to the destination utilizing a first network if the destination

5         matches a first criteria;

6   d)    sending the request to the destination utilizing a second network if the destination

7         matches a second criteria; and

8   e)    transmitting a response to the request to the user at the computer terminal.

1   2.     The method of claim 1, wherein the first network includes the Internet, and the

2         first criteria indicates that the destination includes the Internet.

1   3.     The method of claim 1, wherein the second network includes a network separate

2         from the Internet, and the second criteria indicates that the destination includes

3         the second network.

1   4.     The method of claim 3, wherein the second network includes a virtual private

2         network (VPN).

1   5.     The method of claim 1, wherein the second criteria indicates that the destination

2         includes a local destination.

1   6.     The method of claim 1, wherein (a)-(e) are carried out utilizing a module

2         positioned within one thousand (1000) feet from the computer terminal.

1   7.     The method of claim 6, wherein the module includes a multiplexer.

1   8.     The method of claim 7, wherein the multiplexer includes a digital subscriber line

2          access multiplexer (DSLAM).

1   9.     The method of claim 1, wherein the network service includes digital subscriber

2          line (DSL) service.

1   10.    A system for delivering guaranteed bandwidth network service, comprising:

2   a)     logic for receiving a request from a user at a computer terminal;

3   b)     logic for determining a destination of the request;

4   c)     logic for sending the request to the destination utilizing a first network if the

5          destination matches a first criteria;

6   d)     logic for sending the request to the destination utilizing a second network if the

7          destination matches a second criteria; and

8   e)     logic for transmitting a response to the request to the user at the computer

9          terminal.

1   11.    The system of claim 10, wherein the first network includes the Internet, and the

2          first criteria indicates that the destination includes the Internet.

1   12.    The system of claim 10, wherein the second network includes a network separate

2          from the Internet, and the second criteria indicates that the destination includes

3          the second network.

1   13.    The system of claim 12, wherein the second network includes a virtual private

2          network (VPN).

1   14.    The system of claim 10, wherein the second criteria indicates that the destination

2          includes a local destination.

1   15.    The system of claim 10, wherein (a)-(e) are carried out utilizing a module

2          positioned within one thousand (1000) feet from the computer terminal.

1 16. The system of claim 15, wherein the module includes a multiplexer.

1 17. The system of claim 16, wherein the multiplexer includes a digital subscriber line
2 access multiplexer (DSLAM).

1 18. The system of claim 10, wherein the network service includes digital subscriber
2 line (DSL) service.

1 19. A computer program product for delivering guaranteed bandwidth network
2 service, comprising:
3 a) computer code for receiving a request from a user at a computer terminal;
4 b) computer code for determining a destination of the request;
5 c) computer code for sending the request to the destination utilizing a first network if
6 the destination matches a first criteria;
7 d) computer code for sending the request to the destination utilizing a second
8 network if the destination matches a second criteria; and
9 e) computer code for transmitting a response to the request to the user at the
10 computer terminal.

1 20. The computer program product of claim 10, wherein the network service includes
2 digital subscriber line (DSL) service.